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TAGS: PFOR, PO

SUBJ: O SECULO SPECUALTION ON POTENTIAL CABINET

1. MARCH 22 O SECULO SAYS NEW CABINET IS AS GOOD AS PUT
TOGETHER. SET-UP AS SEEN BY O SECULO IS AS FOLLOWS:

--MINISTERS WITHOUT PORTFOLIO:

MDP - PEREIRA DE MOURA (WHO WOULD ALSO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR
ECONOMY);

PCP - CUNHAL;

PS - MARIO SOARES;

PPD - MAGALHAES MOTA;

--FINANCE: MARIO MURTEIRA (LEFTIST BUT NO PARTY AFFILICATION);

--AGRICULTURE: CARLOS COSTA - PCP;

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--SOCIAL AFFAIRS: JOSE TENGARRINHA - MDP;

--FOREIGN AFFAIRS: MAJOR MELO ANTUNES;
--JUSTICE: PS (BUT NOT ZENHA; POSSIBLY BACELAR, CURRENT SECRETARY
OF STATE);
--TRANSPORT: PPD;
--INTERTERRITORIAL COORDINATION: SANTOS;
--LABOR: COSTA MARTINS;
--INTERNAL ADMINISTRATION: (INTERIOR) A MILITARY OFFICER,
POSSIBLY LTC INFANTE OR COMMANDER COSTA.

2. SECULO SAYS THAT JUSTICE MINISTER ZENHA (PS), SOCIAL AFFAIRS
MINISTER PINTASILGO (INDEPENDENT MODERATE), INTERNAL ADMINISTRA-
TION MINISTER LTC COSTA BRAS, ECONOMIC MINISTER VILAR (INDEPEN-
DENT MODERATE), FINANCE MINISTER LOPES (INDEPENDENT MODERATE),
AND EDUCATION MINISTER COL. CARVALHO WILL LEAVE GOVERNMENT.
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